

Howard G. Osgood papers

L121

This finding aid was produced using the Archivists' Toolkit

January 14, 2016

Describing Archives: A Content Standard

Rare Books and Manuscripts
140 North Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, Indiana, 46204
317-232-3671

Table of Contents

<u>Summary Information</u>	3
<u>Biographical Note</u>	4
<u>Scope and Contents</u>	4
<u>Arrangement</u>	4
<u>Administrative Information</u>	5
<u>Related Materials</u>	5
<u>Controlled Access Headings</u>	6
<u>Collection Inventory</u>	7

Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Osgood, Howard G., 1833-1913
Title	Howard G. Osgood papers
Date	1858-1912
Extent	1.3 Cubic feet 1 manuscript box, 1 cubic foot box
Language	English

Preferred Citation

Howard G. Osgood papers, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library

Biographical Note

Howard G. Osgood was born in Franklin County, Massachusetts in Sept. of 1833 and attended Amherst academy for one year. He studied with a practicing physician, then finished his studies with physicians in Greenfield, MA and by completing a year at the Cincinnati (Ohio) Medical College. He relocated in June 1856 to Bloomington, Indiana, then to Gosport, IN where he worked as a physician for fifty years, initially (1856) in practice with Dr. Young. Dr. Young left and he was joined by Dr. Caleb L. Ritter, who later married his eldest daughter Anna.

He served in the Fifth Indiana Volunteer Cavalry as Assistant Surgeon from Jan. 29, 1863 to May 25, 1864, when he resigned due to ill health.

He married Harriet "Hattie" Lyons on Feb. 24, 1859 (who died in 1890) in Owen County. They had four daughters, Anna, Elizabeth Eunice [Unice], Lora, and Hattie, who did not survive infancy. He died in 1913 and is buried in the Gosport Cemetery.

Information found with the collection (S3082).

"Osgood, Hattie". Find a Grave Memorial. Retrieved 2016/01/06. <http://www.findagrave.com>

"Osgood, Howard G., Dr". Find a Grave Memorial. Retrieved 2016/01/06. <http://www.findagrave.com>

"Osgood, Howard G.". Indiana, Marriage Index, 1800-1941. Retrieved 2016/01/06. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

"Osgood, Howard G.". U.S., Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles, 1861-1865. Retrieved 2016/01/06. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes business papers, mortgages, deeds, indentures, and tax receipts for various properties, including the Buskirk Farm and Owen, Floyd and Monroe counties; insurance certificates, day and account books from the Osgood physician practice ranging from 1858-1912.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2016/01/06 by Edythe Huffman. EAD finding aid created 2016/01/06 by Edythe Huffman.

Related Materials

Related Archival Material

Materials relating to this collection may be found in the following collections in Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN:

S3082: Dr. Howard G. Osgood papers, 1998 July

Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Deeds

Geographic Name(s)

- Gosport (Ind.)

Subject(s)

- Local taxation
- Physicians Accounting

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Business papers, 1858-1879	1	1
Business papers, 1880-1886	1	2
Business papers, 1887-1912 and undated	1	3
Mortgages, deeds, indentures, 1860-1894	1	4
Deeds, indentures regarding Buskirk Farm, 1873-1906	1	5
Tax receipts for property in Owen and Floyd Counties, 1863-1911	1	6
Tax receipts for property in Monroe County, 1871-1910; undated	1	7
Insurance agent's certificates, 1885-1900	1	8
	Box	Volume
Daybook, 1856-1860	2	1
Daybook, 1860-1862	2	2
Account book, 1863-1864	2	3

Daybook, 1865-1866

2

4